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- 1. For good and valuable consideration, receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, Assignor hereby sells, assigns, transfers, and sets over to Assignee, its lawful successors and assigns, Assignor's entire right, title, and interest in and to U.S. Patent Application No. 10/045,725 titled FREE RADICAL RETROGRADE PRECIPITATION COPOLYMERS AND PROCESS FOR MAKING SAME, filed January 11, 2002, all inventions disclosed and/or claimed therein, any other patent applications directed to such inventions, and all Letters Patent of the United States that may be granted thereon, and all reissues, reexaminations, and extensions thereof; and all rights to claim priority on the basis of such applications, and all applications for Letters Patent that may be filed for such inventions in any foreign country, and all extensions, renewals, and reissues thereof; and Assignor hereby authorizes and requests the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks of the United States and any official of any foreign country whose duty it is to issue patents on applications as described above, to issue all Letters Patent for such inventions to Assignee, its successors and assigns, in accordance with the terms of this Assignment. Assignor hereby assigns to Assignee, its successors and assigns, all rights to sue for past infringement of any of the patent rights transferred in this Assignment.
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The assignee of the above-identified application is entitled to small entity status.

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